

Exhibit A



Alcohol Use / Dependence Coding Spotlight

Rethinking Drinking

- For your patients who have no other HCC opportunities and who have HTN and drink more than 1 drink a day take the time to remind them not to drink in excess during the holidays.
 - Remember current guidelines state that patients over 65 should not consume more than 1 drink per day. More recent studies have shown no benefit for alcohol consumption for any patient drinking more than 1 drink per day.
 - If you have the conversation ***use the code F10.99 for Alcohol Use unspecified with unspecified alcohol-induced disorder*** to claim credit.

**Every New Code Used =
\$3,600**

**Freedom ACO
Alcohol Opportunity**

43 patients

**\$160,470
Available Risk**

When can I code?

- **Annual Wellness Visits**
 - Use the Aledade App to capture all HCC Suggestions that are appropriate for the patient.
 - AWW's require that you update the problem list; you can send all codes across to Medicare!
- **Follow Up and Acute Visits**
 - Use the App and if patients have any outstanding codes, use at least one during the visit
 - If a disease process was used in medical decision making, you can code